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"The Blood is The Life."

Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgement are affected, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. Foul, impure blood can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, it enriches and purifies the blood thereby curing, pimples, blotches, eruptions and other cutaneous affections, as eczema, tetter, or salt-rheum, hives and other manifestations of impure blood.

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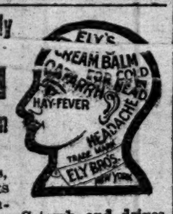

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[Entered at the Postoffice of Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

COAST STORM-SWEPT.

The northwest storm sweeping the Virginia and North Carolina coast continued last night with unabated fury. Scores of vessels are at the mercy of the gale, several lives have been lost, a number of small craft have foundered and the severe cold weather prevailing has intensified the dangers of navigation. Last night the wind was fifty miles an hour at Capt Henry, and sixty-five miles off Hatteras.

The steamer Jamestown, of the Old Dominion Steamship Company, en route from New York to Norfolk, and due at Norfolk at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, was reached last night by the wireless station at the Norfolk navy yard, and was reported fifty miles off the Virginia capes, unable to stem the storm and make her way into the bay. [A dispatch from Norfolk dated today says the Jamestown passed in the capes this morning at 12:45, reporting all well aboard, and that she was delayed and swept out of her course by head winds.]

At 12 o'clock last night it was reported that the Old Dominion Liner Princess Anne, which left Norfolk for New York at 7 o'clock Thursday night, is missing. The vessel should have arrived in New York at 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The possibility of a collision with some other vessel in the blinding snowstorm and fierce winds that must have been blowing at the time is causing apprehension.

So rough was the trip down Chesapeake Bay from Washington and Baltimore early yesterday morning that passengers left their berths, and remained in the main saloons, wearing life preservers.

Swamped at anchor during the violent northerly gale which swept over Newport News yesterday, a small schooner loaded with brick went down in twenty feet of water just north of Newport News yesterday morning. A white man and two or three negroes are reported to have been lost.

It is reported that two oyster schooners were sunk off Brown Shoals, about seven miles above Newport News. It is said that several men were drowned with the sinking of these boats.

It is very important and in fact it is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of troubles. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like Kodol For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

DEVOURED BY ALLIGATORS.

Two Americans, a young man and a young woman, apparently on their bridal tour, were eaten alive by alligators in the Balsas river, a stream forming the boundary between the States of Michoacan add Guerrerra, in Mexico. Nobody knows anything of their identity.

The man, who was about twenty-eight years of age, and the girl, about nineteen, appeared at Balsas about a month ago and, hiring a small boat stocked it with provisions, arms, camp equipage and, loading on a trunk filled with clothing, went down the river.

A short way down the trunk fell overboard, and although they stopped and paid the natives to dive for it it was lost. The natives warned them not to continue the journey, as the stream is full of rapids and in the swampy places is inhabited by myriads of alligators.

The young couple continued and nothing more was heard of them until ten days ago when the wrecked boat was found in one of the swampy regions torn and chewed by alligators and nearby was the body of the young man partially eaten by the reptiles.

DeWitt's Little Riser Pills are sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

MURDERED BY NEGROES.

Henry W. Reid, forty years old, proprietor of a saloon at North Capitol and F streets northwest Washington, was murdered early this morning by two negroes. Reid was returning home, and when he was in front of 21 F street he was attacked. The motive, the police believe, was robbery. The negroes have not been found. When the body was discovered, ten knife wounds were found Reid had been dead for several minutes. Colored persons living in the vicinity were disturbed by his shouts for help, and came to his rescue, but they were too late. The wounds were in the chest and abdomen. Reid left the saloon shortly after 12 o'clock, and was walking in F street when approached by two negroes. One of the men plunged toward him with a knife, and Reid screamed for help. From indications a desperate struggle ensued. Several negroes living in the vicinity heard Reid's shouts for help, and looking from their windows, saw the body lying in the street. On examination it was found that Reid's watch and money were missing from his pockets.

"To Keep Well

The whole year through," writes L. A. Bartlett, of Rural Route 1, Guilford, Me., "I and my family used Dr. King's New Life Pills. They have proven most satisfactory to all of us." They tone the system and cure biliousness, malaria and constipation. Guaranteed at all drug stores. 25c.

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In buying a cough medicine for children never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it, and relief is always sure to follow. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and there is no better medicine in the world for these diseases. It is not only a certain cure for croup, but, when given as soon as the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. Whooping cough is not dangerous when this remedy is given as directed. It contains no opium or other harmful drugs, and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

WIFE-BEATER WHIPPED.

Armed with barrel staves and stout hickory sticks, a number of neighbors of J. S. Smith, of a Portsmouth suburb, waited on him in the role of "white caps" and administered to him a severe chastisement as evidence of the disapproval of his neighbors of his conduct with regard to his domestic affairs.

It is stated that the man was in the habit of coming home in an intoxicated condition and assaulting his wife. After a beating the man had given his wife a few nights ago a crowd of neighbors assembled and proceeded to his home. He was called out, taken a considerable distance away and was told what his neighbors thought of his conduct.

A dose of his own medicine was forthwith administered to him, the barrel staves brought by the crowd being used for this purpose.

He begged for mercy, but the thrashing continued until the man swore never again to strike his wife, while they live in that section of the country at least, and he was then permitted to go.

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PROPOSALS.

Office of Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md., January 4, 1908. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 11 a. m., February 3, 1908, for the construction of macadam roads at Fort Washington, Md. Information regarding the work may be obtained at this office and intending bidders will be furnished them upon depositing the sum of $5.00 which will be refunded upon return of same. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Constructing Macadam Roads at Fort Washington, Md.," and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md.

jan 6, 7, 8, 9, feb 5, 6.

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6 1-2 yards Body Brussels Stair Carpet	was $ 1.25	now	95c per yard
4 yards Velvet Carpet	was $ 1.25	now	65c per yard
10 6-36 yards Brussels Stair Carpet	was $ 1.00	now	65c per yard
7 14-36 yards Brussels Carpet	was 85c	now	60c per yard
40 yards Brussels Stair Carpet	was 85c	now	65c per yard
37 yards Brussels Stair Carpet	was 85c	now	65c per yard
13 yards Brussels Carpet	was $ 1.00	now	65c per yard
35 1-2 yards Brussels Parlor Carpet	was $ 1.00	now	75c per yard
23 3-4 yards Axminister Parlor Carpet	was $ 1.25	now	85c per yard
27 1-2 yards Axminister Parlor Carpet	was $ 1.25	now	85c per yard
56 yards Brussels Carpet	was 95c	now	75c per yard
25 1-2 yards Brussels Carpet	was 80c	now	55c per yard
39 3-4 yards Brussels Carpet	was 80c	now	55c per yard
41 1-4 yards Brussels Carpet	was 80c	now	55c per yard
3 yard by 4 yard Axminster Art Square	was $27.50	now	$21.50
3 yard by 4 yards Wilton Axminster Art Square	was $37.50	now	$28 00
3 yard by 4 yard Velvet Art Square	was $27.50	now	$21 50
3 yard by 4 yard Brussels Art Square	was $18.50	now	$15 00

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UNTIL

February First.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 23th day of January, 1908.

Henry C. Bernhardt } In Chancery.
vs.
Susie L. Bernhardt.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Susie L. Bernhardt, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and a that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, p. q. jan23 w4w thu

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria on the 21st day of January, 1908.

Anna M. Gillman } In Chancery.
vs.
George H. Gillman

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Geo. H. Gillman, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered that said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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Alexandria Gazette
SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS
AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 25, 1908.

THE increasing number of murders in this country has caused law-abiding people in many cities to suggest that some drastic measures should be taken to prevent irresponsible people from carrying concealed weapons. The New York Tribune in commenting upon the increasing number of assassinations says:

The laxity of our system of regulating the sale of murderous weapons is again illustrated by a tragedy in which a woman, armed with two or three pistols, invaded a restaurant, shot a man seated there and then killed herself. It would be interesting to know where she bought the weapons and whether she had any legal permission to carry them. We make a pretence of discouraging the carrying of concealed weapons, and when some vengeful criminal kills a policeman or two much indignation is expressed and sporadic efforts are made to arrest and punish violators of the concealed weapon law. But our whole practice is slipshod and superficial. The few individuals who have any good reason for going armed can easily obtain permits and be held responsible for the use they make of their weapons. But the vast majority who carry pistols do so covertly and with the well formed purposes of using them either for criminal purposes or under stress of terror or excitement. They form an element highly dangerous to peace and good order. What is most needed to put a limitation on crimes of violence is, perhaps, a strict supervision of the sale of pistols, the purchaser being obliged to show a permit from the authorities before geting his weapon. This would be a check on the too easy distribution of arms and would compel dealers to be more careful about putting deadly weapons in hands unfit to use them.

The above is equally applicable to Alexandria. A drunken negro was arrested in this city last Sunday and when searched was found to be armed with a revolver, every chamber of which was loaded. Under our lax laws any person who has the necessary wherewithal can purchase a pistol or a dirk. A law should be framed as quickly as possible providing a severe penalty on any dealer who sells such weapons to any person who cannot exhibit a permit to go armed.

A BILL before the legislature seeks to amend the constitution and do away with some of the wise provisions of that instrument. Every bill offered in the Senate or House, and which is reported from a committee, has to be read on three separate days before it can be enacted into a law, or else there must be two or three roll calls in each branch before the rules can be suspended and a bill enacted. This consumes time but prevents the passage of many wild cat measures. It is proposed to so alter the bill as to require that all bills shall be given a reading in full in each branch of the general assembly and that they shall not be rushed. Another bill under consideration would also change the constitution so as to extend the session of the legislature to ninety days. Both measures should be defeated and they will be if they ever come before the people. The members of the constitutional convention were a wiser set of men than those composing the legislature today and the latter should accept this and be good.

POSTMASTER GENERAL MEYER on Thursday summed up what he hopes to accomplish if his parcels post scheme goes into effect. He said:

If the parcels posts were established on the 38,000 rural routes throughout the country for the delivery of parcels originating on these routes and for delivery within their territory, and if each rural free delivery carrier carried but three packages of eleven pounds each on every trip, the entire postal deficit, which in 1907 was $6,653,282, would be wiped out.

The outrageous charges made by the express companies and the poor service they render the people will eventually result of the establishment of a parcels post.

EX-SENATOR WELLINGTON, of Maryland, says: "The Philippines have cost us already $800,000,000 in money and 20,000 lives. They have corrupted more than 50,000 men who might have been useful citizens. They made more difficult all our foreign relations. And what have we got in return? Nothing, practically nothing." What Mr. Wellington says is absolutely true, but the expenditures, of money and the sacrifice of human lives will, it is feared continue for many years in the endeavor to Americanize the Philippines.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., January 25.

The United States gunboat Pudacah left New Orleans today for St. Marc, Haiti, to protect American interest and be on call, in case the revolution spreads into Santo Domingo. The gunboat Eagle is now patrolling the coast from St. Marc to Gonaives. The city of Port de Paix is in the hands of the revolutionists, according to dispatches from United States Minister Furniss, from Port an Prince, and Haitian government officials, terrorized, have taken refuge at the American consulate. Although the American interests involved are not extensive, close watch is being kept on the progress of the revolution. A tentative adjustment with the foreign creditors has just been completed, and the slightest disturbance would probably throw the whole situation back into its former chaotic condition. That this may be the aim of the Haitian revolutionists is not improbable. Giordani, the revolutionary agent, whose arrest in New York came just in time to prevent the shipment of arms and ammunition, is known to be a friend of General Jiminez, the leader of the Dominican malcontents. Though the revolution received a serious setback, as a result of the activity of the United States secret service, the area of disturbance has steadily encroached upon the Dominican boundary. It is not believed by the State Department that it will go much further but every precaution is being taken.

With the arrival this evening of William Jennings Bryan for a three days' sojourn in and about Washington, democratic politics will have the boards. It is expected that a number of distinguished men of the party will hold conferences with the Nebraskan while he is here. That there is a movement on foot to endeavor to dissuade Bryan from taking the nomination for President has been made plain to him. As yet, Bryan is uncertain whether this is being fostered by any considerable number of those whom he terms the "real friends of the party." He believes that it had its inception among the bolters of 1896. He has caused it to be made known in advance of his coming, that he will not accept advice from such sources. On the other hand, there is every reason to believe that should those in whom he has confidence advocate his retirement from the presidential race, he will take the matter under serious consideration. The presence today in Washington of William F. Sheehan, of New York, and former Senator James Smith, jr., of New Jersey, and the reported coming tonight of Charles F. Murphy, have added interest to the situation.

Those who have been watching the fight between the National Association of Manufacturers and the American Federation of Labor, would not be at all surprised if contempt proceedings were instituted against President Gompers, of the latter organization. Under his own name, Mr. Gompers, in today's issue of the American Federationist, prints an eight page editorial, in which he severely criticizes Justice Gould of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, for the issuance of the injunction against the publication of the name of the Bucks Stove and Range Company, of St. Louis, in the Federationist's "unfair" list. Although the name of the concern is omitted from the list in this issue, Gompers makes frequent reference in the editorial to the fact that it has heretofore been in the list. The injunction decree, which is most sweeping in its character, forbads any reference of this sort. Gompers announces that he will carry the matter up to the Supreme Court of the United States. Judge Alton B. Parker, of New York, is chief counsel for the federation in the case.

Representatives Bennet, Parsons and other New York republicans who have come over to the Hughes camp from the barracks of the opposition are inclined to be indignant over the veiled charge made in some quarters that they will not "tote square" with the Governor, but are preparing to flop to Taft at the first opportunity. "Neither Mr. Parsons nor myself ever threw anybody," exclaimed Bennet at the White House today. "We are backing Mr. Hughes to secure his nomination and will do our utmost to make him win. Mr. Hughes will on the thirty-first make his speech of principles and you will find that it is all right. He will have the proper kind of a platform and will deserve and secure the support of all good republicans in the State." Mr. Parson echoed Bennet's sentiments but when asked if he expected the Governor to be nominated said, "You'll have to ask someone who is a better prophet than I."

The condition of ex-Senator Henry Gassoway Davis, of West Virginia, who is laid up in his apartment at the Shoreham, with a severe cold, is said to be improved today.

It is said here that Mr. Alva Martin, of Norfolk, recently director general of the Jamestown Exposition, will probably succeed the late George E. Bowden, as Clerk of the U. S. Court for the Eastern district of Virginia.

VIRGINIA LAW KNOCKED OUT.

A decision regarded as highly important by the Atlantic Coast Seamen's Union was handed down yesterday by Judge Arthur L. Brown, in the United States District Court at Providence, R. I., on a summary process brought there in behalf of the negro crew of the schooner Dorothy Palmer against Captain Harding, her master.

The men left the schooner at Newport News, Va., were arrested, jailed and on the eve of sailing returned to the vessel, which then came to Providence. The captain deducted from their pay, when he discharged them, the cost of arrest and detention. This amount, the judge decides, must be refunded.

The men were arrested and incarcerated under a Virginia law passed in 1849, at which time it corresponded to the Federal statute repealed 1872. The Virginia law has been operative ever since, however, and shippers in the coastwise trade have frequently taken advantage of it. Judge Brown holds that in prescribing such punishment Virginia has exceeded her right.

THE R., F. & P. R. R.

The hearing on the proposed repeal of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac paralleling law was concluded by the joint committee of the legislature, after a session lasting until midnight last night at which representatives of the railroads, citizens from the Petersburg section, and others, and the State proxies were heard.

The State proxies and the railroad people are fighting for the existing law, the people in the interest of that section for its repeal, in order that a competing line may be established between Richmond and Washington.

At the conclusion of the hearing, the committee took the matter under advisement. The committee will hold a private session as soon as the stenographic report of the proceedings has been completed, for the purpose of formulating their report to the general assembly. It was believed last night that the report will recommend a modified repeal law.

Mrs. Emily Yznaga, mother of the Dowager Duchess of Manchester, died at New Orleans yesterday of pneumonia at the age of 75.

News of the Day.

Two blocks in the business center of Madison, Ill., were destroyed by fire early today entailing a loss of $100,000.

W. Lee Bockemohle, cashier of the defunct bank of Ellingwood, Kans., under arrest on charges of making false statements, shot and killed himself at his home during the night.

Two newspapers in Salt Lake City yesterday announced that the democratic and American parties have united in the hope of breaking up Senator Reed Smoot's Utah machine.

Andrew Jackson Deisch, jr., slayer of Harry Ferree, his wife's friend, was acquitted in Philadelphia yesterday of murder, and a crowd in court cheered the verdict.

Daniel J. Cronin, former secretary to Admiral Schley, who figured prominently in the battle of Santiago and the naval controversy that followed, died at his home at Worcester, Mass., this afternoon. He was 35 years old.

In the North Carolina House yesterday the Anti-Saloon League prohibition bill was favorably reported and made a special order for Monday. The Senate passed the bill by a unanimous vote, four members not voting.

A car of dynamite exploded at the Hocking mines near Oskaloosa, Iowa, this morning, wrecking the company store and several adjoining buildings. The loss is $100,000. No one was hurt, but the shock was felt for ten miles.

After a conference at the State Department between Secretary Root and French Ambassador, yesterday, it was stated that the new French reciprocity arrangement would be signed next Monday and would take effect February 1 next.

At Baku, Transcaucasia, a locomotive engineer, to escape a mob, opened wide the throttle of his locomotive yesterday and dashed through the crowd, killing six men and wounding others. The man had previously run over and killed by accident several track hands.

Inquiry at the offices of the American Locomotive Company, at New York today as to the authenticity of the report that the concern's big plant at Schenectady, employing six thousand men, would be closed down in the near future, vitually confirmed the report.

Chase Conway, president of the Fairmont and Southern Railroad, did today at a hospital where he had undergone an operation. Conway was also secretary and treasurer of the Overholt Coal and Coke Company and general manager of the National Coal Company, of Baltimore, Md.

Consideration of the urgent deficiency appropriation bill was resumed in the House yesterday. Under general debate, speeches were made by Mr. Shackelford, of Missouri, attacking the power of the Speaker, and by Mr. Hitchcock, of Nebraska, in reply to a recent political forecast by Gen. Grosvenor, of Ohio. The House adjourned until Monday.

Although enjoined from making any reference to the controversy between the American Federation of Labor and the Bucks Stove and Range Company, President Gompers, in an editorial in the current issue of the American Federationist, comments on Justice Gould's recent decision at great length and declares a purpose not to comply with the terms.

The bravery of two policemen in dashing through the flames to carry a 50-pound keg of powder prevented great loss of property and probable loss of life today from the fire that destroyed Everett Hall in Boston. The damage is estimated at $100,000.

Virginia News.

Louis E. Pepper, a well-known newspaper man of Roanoke, died on Thursday.

Dr. W. C. Ogg, of Hillsboro, Loudoun county died on Thursday, aged 38 years.

Ex-Judge Charles Pelham, who recently lived in Alexandria county, died at his home in Foulan, Ga., on the 18th instant.

Mr. James Courtney, of near Grove church, in Fauquier county, killed a hog this week which weighed 664 pounds dressed.

The Suffolk Gas Company, of Suffolk, was yesterday placed in the hands of receivers by Federal Judge Waddill on petition of Fred C. Marston, of New York.

Mrs. Nancy McGuire, widow of Dr. William McGuire, died yesterday at her home in Berryville, Clarke county, after a long illness, aged eighty-eight years.

Mrs. Ann Crisman, aged ninety-nine, widow of J. W. Crisman, died yesterday at her home, near White Post. She is survived by two sons and one daughter and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Frank Canthorn, who recently shot and killed Mrs. Ada Jones at her home, in Christiansburg, and is in jail now charged with murder, yesterday made a complete confession, giving in detail his reasons for murdering the woman, with whom he was deeply infatuated.

Judge Keith, president of the Court of Appeals, who was elected to the presidency of the Commonwealth Club of Richmond, last week, has notified the management of the club that although he had accepted the honor in the first instance it would be impossible for him to accept the office.

Mr. Thomas F. Ryan, several times a millionaire, will, it is said, make his home in Richmond and to that end is to expend $1,000,000 for a residence there. He will also expend another $1,000,000 for an immense office building in that city. It is also said he will take a prominent part in Virginia politics.

Thomas W. Marcellus, a yard conductor of the C. & O. R. R., at Charlottesville, has been arrested charged with robbing cars. He confessed and in doing so implicated Conductor W. B Trice, Engineer Roy Goolsby, Tom Clarke, a negro named Flemming and another negro brakeman named Press Scott. The robberies extend over a period of several months.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. It contains no opiates—it is pleasant to take and is highly recommended for children. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

No false pretense has marked the career of Ely's Cream Balm. Being entirely harmless, it is not responsible like the catarrh snuffs and powders, for minds shattered by cocaine. The great virtue of Ely's Cream Balm is that its speedily and completely overcomes nasal catarrh and hay fever. Back of this statement is the testimony of thousands and a reputation of many year's success. All druggists, 50c, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street, New York.

The Legislature.

SENATE.

Mr. Lassiter yesterday formally offered in the Senate his amendment to the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac repeal bill, providing that the road be given five years in which to establish branch lines, under the direction of the State Corporation Commission, or, failing to do so, that the restriction as to paralleling its tracks, be repealed.

The Senate by a vote of 26 to 9 concurred in the House bill appropriating the sum of $125,000 annually to the sinking fund for the purpose of extinguishing the State debt. The bill now goes to the governor for signature.

The Senate took up the bill providing for working of jail prisoners on the highways of the State and debated the measure for an hour and a half. An amendment offered by Senator Ward, allowing counties and towns to have the first call on the prisoners in their respective jails, was agreed to, and on a motion to reconsider, the Senate adjourned for the day.

The work of the temperance forces was maifest in the Senate yesterday when members began to present petitions for the consideration of the Senate. The petitions are in connection with the local option elections in counties. The bill now in the Senate provides for the making of counties a unit in such election and prevents towns and villages from the privilege of selling liquor unless the majority of the voters in such county and town or village shall vote in the affirmative. The petitions came from all sections of the State and was the first batch of petitions of any subject and demonstrate the effect of careful organization. The petitions all went to the finance committee, which has the matter under consideration.

The Senate concurred in the House resolution requesting the members of the Virginia delegation in the national Congress to vote for the Tillman bill prohibiting the delivery of whisky in prohibition counties.

HOUSE

The Senate bill providing that the people should elect the Corporation Commissioners was defeated in the House yesterday by a vote of 44 to 42. All thirteen of the republican members voted for the bill as passed by the Senate and Speaker Byrd was among the democrats who voted with them.

Mr. Montague introduced a bill to make the State's divorce law conform with the provisions of the uniform divorce bill adopted by the convention of commissioners of all the States.

One feature of the bill is that it requires all testimony to be taken in open court, and not, as now, by depositions.

The joint committees of the two houses have fixed next Friday as the time for hearings upon measures in relation to the liquor traffic, with the exception of licenses.

Mr. Curlett secured the adoption of his joint resolution calling upon the federal government to return to the several States annually certain sums of money collected in internal revenue, and it was communicated to the Senate by its patron.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills known. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

SAYS CANNON IS A TESPOT.

An attack on the power of the Speaker was made in the House of Representatives yesterday by Mr. Shackelford, of Missouri, during the consideration of the urgent deficiency appropriation bill. He said Speaker Cannon was the "ablest, boldest champion of autocracy this age has produced," and declared that the Speaker exercised "a greater despotism than exists in any monarchy in Europe."

Speaker Cannon at this juncture entered the chamber and, amid republican applause, took a seat in front of Mr. Shackelford, who asserted that before any bill could pass "you must bend your noble bodies forward in proper pose, fold your hands and say: 'Oh Lord, Uncle Joe, thy will be done and not mine.'"

He challenged Speaker Cannon "to rise in his place, not as Speaker, but as a member of the Illinois delegation, and tell us how and when it was he shouldered the responsibility for the legislation that was to be here enacted by simply becoming moderator of this deliberative assembly."

Speaker Cannon laughed.

Mr. Shackelford protested against the policy of "one-man power" as in violation of the law, and urged the members "to break down this autocracy and the rules in order that the people's representatives may do the things they want done."

The Price of Peace.

The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price 25 cents. For Sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

REPEAT EVIDENCE WHEN SENTENCE IS DEATH.

The Court of Appeals of Virginia has decided that in cases, criminal and civil, where the criminal did not object to improper evidence, that there was no law in the code of Virginia by which they could review it.

M. T. Cooke, of Norfolk, presented in the house today a bill which, he believes, will remedy such cases where the death penalty is imposed, especially those similar to the famous Alexandria case, where the prisoner was convicted and sentenced to death and his punishment afterwards commuted by the governor.

Mr. Cooke's amendment to the existing statute provides—

"That in said rule of decision the appellate court shall not apply in a criminal case in which the judgement of the trial court imposes upon the accused punishment by death, but the appellate court, in determining whether or not a new trial should have been awarded the accused, must look to the evidence as the trial court ought to have looked at it and not as on a demurrer to evidence."—[Richmond News Leader.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at all drug stores. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

The Market.

Georgetown, D. C., Jan. 25.—Wheat 95-100.

Today's Telegraphic News.

Terrible Suffering in New York.

New York, Jan. 25.—Scenes of suffering eclipsing anything in the history of this giant metropolis are following the removal of yesterday's fifteen inches of snow fall from the blocked downtown sections. The army of snow shovelers has been recruited from the ranks of the unemployed, and these men present a pitiable appearance as they staggeringly attack the giant drifts.

Seventy-five per cent. of the men are insufficiently clothed and many are actually suffering for the want of bread.

Dressed in thin summer clothing, without overcoats, or gloves, their shoes in many instances tied together with strings to keep them from falling apart, and utterly devoid of under clothing, the men are struggling for the few dollars that will enable them to live as human beings for a little while at least.

They welcome the work, but their task is a terrible one. Of eight hundred men who marched from the bureau of street cleaning at midnight to clear crossing, fire hydrants and larger public squares, more than half had to quit by 9 o'clock today.

Their strength was not equal to the work in the cold northwest wind with the mercury but fifteen degrees above zero. All seemed eager to work, but a few of the weaker ones, with the thinnest clothes and the emptiest stomachs began to falter. A few fell, others staggered like drunken men and dropped out. Those who continued were blue with cold.

The exhausted ones were taken to hospitals and cared for, while charitably inclined persons saw that great cans of steaming hot coffee were sent to relieve those who continued.

The cold is working great hardships in tenement sections where coal is at a premium. The usual price of twelve cents a pail has been raised to 30 cents; with but a scant supply on hand. The big wagons of coal dealers cannot penetrate the narrow streets, blocked with snow, and, as usual, those who cannot keep reserve fuel are the real sufferers. Men, women and children left their homes last night and applied for lodging at the municipal lodging houses and at the temporary shelter erected on the recreation piers.

Eight deaths, directly traceable to the storm, have been reported to the police while more than a score of persons have suffered broken limbs and other injuries from falls on icy sidwalks.

Japan Prohibits Emigration.

Tokio, Jan. 25.—An Imperial order, issued today, prohibits all Japanese emigration to the Hawaiian Islands, excepting in case of relatives of Japanese already residing there. The order is being strongly opposed by steamship companies, and representatives of all the big lines, after being served with the order, personally appealed to the foreign office to at least modify it, but met an absolute refusal.

Stringent orders have also been issued to all officials that the prohibition of emigration of laborers to America and Canada must be rigidly enforced. In order that there shall be no subterfuge, emigration to Mexico is also placed under the ban.

The reply to the United States to the latest memorandum from Japan in connection with the emigration negotiations is expected by the foreign office today. Viscount Aoki, deposed Ambassador to the United States, landed today and hurried at once to Tokio from Yokohoma on a special train. He is now in consultation with Foreign Minister Hayashi. Because of his arrival, Viscount Hayashi has postponed until January 30 his speech to the Diet outlining definitely the plans of the government for the restriction of emigration to America and Canada.

Death of Francis Trevelyan.

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 25.—Francis Trevelyan, the widley known turf writer and race track judge, died today at his home, Forest Lodge, near here, following a severe attack of rheumatic gout. He was recovering from the attack which had lasted a month when apprised of the murder of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Martin, who was shot and killed by her husband in a Brooklyn hotel. This caused a relapse which proved fatal. The deceased came to America many years ago.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

New York, Jan. 25.—A petition in involuntary bankruptcy has been filed against William Kleinschmidt and George Holand, comprising the firms of Klinschmidt and Company, importers of diamonds and jewelry. The United States Court appointed Henry D. Singer, receiver, fixing his bond at $50,000. It is stated that the liabilities are $250,000 while the actual assets are estimated at $100,000.

"Shot Up" Town.

Hot Springs, Ky., Jan. 25—Another night rides outrages took place early today when fifty masked men "shot up" the Arcadia Hotel took out John Heath, and independent tobacco buyer, and forced him under threats of death to promise not to sell any more tobacco. No one was injured in the visit, but the governor has been ordered to send troops.

CIC Reduction of Duty.

Paris, Jan. 25.—It is stated that the Franco-American commercial treaty, which will be signed in three weeks, will provide for the admission of champagne of American at a reduction of twenty per cent of the regular duty. France will in consideration thereof apply a minium duty to Porto Rican coffee and American petroleum.

Steamer Princess Anne Safe.

New York, Jan. 25.—The steamer Princess Anne of the Old Dominion is safe. The wireless station at Coney Island picked up a message saying that she is off Northeast End Lightship, all well, and will dock about 5:15.

FROM THE ANTILLES.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Benefits a City Councilman at Kingston, Jamaica.

Mr. W. O'Reilly Fogarty, who is a member of the City Council at Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies, writes as follows: One bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy had good effect on a cough that was giving me trouble and I think I should have been more quickly relieved if I had continued the remedy. That it was beneficial and quick in relieving me there is no doubt and it is my intention to obtain another bottle." For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

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Murder Mystery Unsolved.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—After working for hours on the theory that they had within their grasp the solution of the mystery of the woman's headless body found in Lake Michigan, the police department was sent back to its starting point today by the discovery that Miss Jennie Fleischmann, stenographer in the offices of the Western Base Ball Association, is living with friends. Identification of the body in the mogue as being that of Miss Fleischmann had gone so far that he police were searching for a man with whom she was known to have corresponded.

Resignation of Stillman.

New York, Jan. 24.—James Stillman, President of the National City Bank, has resigned from the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific companies directorate and also from the executive committee of both corporations. He has been succeed in these positions by Frank A. Vanderlip, Vice President of the National City Bank.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Jan. 25.—The stock market tone during the first hour was moderately strong. Advances of about one point were made in several stocks. Later prices declined enough to wipe out most of the early gains and to leave the tone of the market at the close.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Proceedings of the Court of Appeals yesterday were as follows:

Kelly vs. Gwatkin et als. Fully argued and submitted.

Gardiner vs. Montague et al. Argued and submitted.

The explosion of dynamite bombs last night in front of the residence in Girard, Ala., of C. P. Gifford, president of the Law and Order league, and near the parsonage occupied by ministers, is thought to be the first move in a war which contemplates the use of explosives to breed terror.

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Corset "H," coutil, short hip, low bust, elastics attached.....$1.00
W. C. C. Corsets, coutil, long and short hip, medium bust, elastics attached.....$1.00
C. B. Corsets, light-weight, coutil, medium hip and bust, elastics attached.....$1.00
W. C. C. Corsets, coutil, high bust and long hip; also high bust and short hip; elastics attached.....$1.50
Corset "H," coutil, low bust, long hip, elastics attached.....$1.50
J. B. Corsets, coutil, high bust, long hip, elastics attached.....$1.50

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA AND MOUNT VERNON RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at 3.30 o'clock p. m. TUESDAY, February 11, 1908, at the office of the company, in Mount Vernon, Va.

JOHN W. PITTOCK,
Secretary.
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Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 25, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:11 a. m. and sets 5:13. High water at 12:0f a. m. and 12:37.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair, warmer tonight. Sunday fair; light southerly winds.

Church Services Tomorrow.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Rev. Wm. J. Morton rector. Children's services 4:00 p. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the rector.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p m by Rev. P. P. Phillips.

GRACE CHURCH—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Services and sermon at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. Mr. May.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH—First mass at 7 a. m. Mass and sermon at 10.30 a. m. Vespers and benediction 4 p. m.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9.30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. R. Gamble Lee.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Dr. Fisher.

TRINITY METH. EPIS. CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale. Young People's Prayer Meeting at 6:30 p. m.

BETHANY M. P. CHURCH—south Fairfax street—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Wm. M. Poisal.

METH. EPIS. CHURCH SOUTH—Rev. Charles D. Bulla, pastor.—9:30 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., sermon by pastor. 6:30 p. m., Epworth League.

METH. PROT. CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. G. I. Humphreys. Class meeting at 2 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH—Lee street near Wilkes—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Rev. A. W. Myers.

VILLAGE CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Gibbon street, near Alfred.—Sunday school at 2:45 p. m.

BAPTIST MISSION—Corner of Pendleton and Columbus streets—Sunday school and preaching at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting every Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock. Young men are invited.

DEL RAY CHAPEL M.E. CHURCH SOUTH—Sunday school at 2. Preaching at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 8 p. m.

ALMS HOUSE—Services at 2:30 p. m.

MISSION—Corner Fairfax and Franklin street. Services at 7:30 p. m.

ROBERTS CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH (colored)—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

MEADE CHAPEL—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Evening service at 5 p. m.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH (colored)—north Alfred street—Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor—Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

RESTRAINING ORDER.

Chief Justice Clabaugh, in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, yesterday signed a temporary restraining order against the Central Railroad of New Jersey, its agents and employes, to prevent the removal from the jurisdiction of the District of Columbia of the steamer St. Johns, which is at the Seventh street wharf, Washington.

The order against the railroad was issued at the instance of Richard H. Lynn, cashier of the American National Bank, and the United States Trust Company, who, on the previous day, were named by the court as receivers for the Washington and Potomac Steamboat Company.

The St. Johns was bought from the Central Railroad by the steamboat company for $65,000. Only $32,500 of the purchase price has been paid, and in the list of assets described in the petition filed in the receivership case, the St. Johns was specified as part of the steamboat company's property in which an equity was held.

Early yesterday morning, the receivers explained to the court, the agents of the railroad took possession of the St. Johns and attemped to remove it by force away from the District of Columbia, the railroad claiming possession because of an alleged forfeiture under the contract, by which the boat was originally sold. Under the order of their appointment the receivers were authorized to take possession of all of the steamboat company's property, and this action was taken to protect the interests of creditors. The question of the rights of the railroad in the premises will be determined next Friday before Justice Clabaugh.

EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETING.

The monthly meeting of the Epworth League Union of Alexandria, Washington and vicinity was held last night in the Young People's Building of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. A meeting of the workers was previously held when interesting reports were rendered and several speeches were made. At this meeting Rev. J. H. Light, of Fredericksburg, addressed the conference on "The Young People's Building: What Are We Going to Do with it?" The league meeting at night was presided over by Rev. J. H. Light. The church choir rendered an anthem, after which Rev. Frank L. Day, of the George Washington University, delivered an address. His subject was "The Power of Divine Wisdom." Mrs. Dr. C. E. Outcalt rendered a solo, which was followed by roll call. Rev. E. V. Regester pronounced benediction.

VISIT OF ODD FELLOWS.

A delegation of Odd Fellows from Falls Church Lodge, numbering about forty-five, came to this city last night on a special car and received the first degree of the order, it being conferred by Potomac Lodge, No. 38. A buffet luncheon was served at the close of the meeting when a number of impromptu speeches were made. The visitors later left for their homes greatly pleased with their evening's experience.

CHARTER.

The Corporation Commission has granted a charter to the Virginia State Dairymen's Association, Richmond. T. O. Sandy, president, Burkeville; Westmoreland Davis, vice president, Leesburg; William D. Saunders, secretary and treasurer, Blacksburg; Joseph A. Turner, Hollins; Benjamin L. Purcell, Glen Allen. No capital stock. Dissemination of knowledge concerning the care and management of dairy stock, etc.

MEETING FOR MEN.

Dr. Henry N. Couden, the blind chaplain of the House of Representatives, will address the men's meeting in the Young People's Building tomorrow afternoon. His subject will be "Manhood." Miss Kate T. Smoot will sing. All men are invited.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills They promptly relieve backache and weak back. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street. nov21 tf

A SPLENDID PLAY.

Of the "Merry Cobbler," given by the Elks' Dramatic Club, of this city, in Fredericksburg, Thursday night, the Journal, of that city, says:

The Opera House was well filled Thursday night to witness the play "The Merry Cobbler," given by the Elks Dramatic Club of Alexandria, for the benefit of Fredericksburg Lodge No. 875, B. P. O. E.

This play was voted the best seen here for along while. Mr. Harry Fleischmann, who is the Exalted Ruler of Alexandria Lodge of Elks, as Franz Von Altenheim was splendid and he caught the audience from the very first in the leading role of "Merry Cobbler." He with his little friends around him was indeed a pleasing scene. Mr. J. Fred Birrell, the detective, who loved his bottle, was fine, and in his songs and parodies kept the audience in a hearty laugh.

Mr. Ed. J. Fleming and Mr. D. E. Robey were very good indeed in their parts. Mr. Frank W. Smith as Levee Bob, a "Bad Nigger," was splendid and his singing was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Thomas Chauncey as Mike Maloney was a great improvement over the average policeman.

Mr. Forrest Birrell sang several songs with splendid effect.

Mrs. A. D. Montier is an actress of rare ability, and her acting as first an Irish, and then a German woman, was simply superb; she has a splendid voice and sang spendidly. Misses Ida Breen, Marie Fannon, and Catherine Birrell, three of Alexandria's most charming young ladies, were very good in their respective characters and never failed to please, but possibly the most pleasing part of this splendid performance was the five little children, little Alvin Friedlander, Caroline West and Amelia Schlichting, of Alexandria, and little Misses Mina Rodgers, and Kate Aldridge, of this city. Little Miss West and Master Friedlander in their songs, "School Days," and "Teddy Girl," were encored again and again.

Miss West captivated the house by her very clever acting, and her singing, which was the best ever heard for a child of her age. Her song, "Is there Room in Heaven for a Little Girl Like Me," making the hit of the evening.

After the play at the Opera House there was a reception given to the Dramatic Club and about 20 visitors from Alexandria, at the Elks' Home on Main street. This beautiful home was thrown open from top to bottom, and the Elks of this city, their ladies and friends extended a royal welcome to the visitors.

Delicious refreshments, which had been prepared, were served in abundance to all present; toasts were given and a jolly good time generally was had. After the refreshments were served the two large rooms on the lower floor, were cleared and dancing was indulged in by the young people until a late hour.

At the reception the toast, "The Absent Brothers," was responded to by Aldermen Jacob Brill, of Alexandria, in a most pleasing manner.

The business management of the company was in the hands of Mr. F. M. Hill and was a huge success. About 30 Alexandrians, outside of the talent, accompanied the club, most of whom returned to their homes last night well pleased with their visit.

The Star of the same city paid a graceful tribute to the performance, pronouncing it first-class in every detail.

BREAD THIEF CAUGHT.

Shortly before six o'clock this morning Mr. Stephen Taylor, driver of the Columbia hose wagon, saw a colored man named James Ball, standing on the southeast corner of King and Pitt streets, Mr. Taylor was on his way to the engine house at the time, and upon reaching there looked out of the door when he saw Ball open the bread box belonging to Mr. G. Wm. Ramsay and take therefrom two loaves of bread. Mr. Taylor started after the thief and overhauled him before he could get out of the neighborhood. Ball was conducted to the station house and later brought before the Police Court, when he was fined $5. This was the only case on the docket this morning.

WILL PROBATED.

The will of the late Michael Germann was offered for probate in the corporation court yesterday afternoon by W. H. Germann, of Washington, son of the deceased. According to the terms of the will the estate, valued at $5,000, was left to his wife, Catherine Germann, who died four days prior to the testator's death. The estate will, therefore, revert to his only two children, W. H. Germann, of Washington, and George Germann, of this city. The former today qualified as administrator with the will annexed.

WASHINGTON GRAIN EXCHANGE.

The annual meeting of the Washington, D. C., Grain Exchange was held at the Exchange, 621 Pennsylvania avenue, yesterday, and the following officers and directors were elected; P. T. Moran, president; John S. Cissel, vice president; E. M. Anderson, secretary and treasurer. Directors: Walter Roberts, H. P. Pillsbury, Howard L. Wilkins, John S. Cissel, and P. T. Moran.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

At the annual meeting of the Eureka Manganese Company, held yesterday, the following officers and directors were elected: President, E. C. Dunn; secretary and treasurer, L. W. Reid; directors, F. F. Marbury, Alexandria; John T. Harris, Baltimore; T. J. McSpeider, Stanleytown.

Broken lots of Ladies' Fine Shoes at about half price. J. A. Marshall & Bro. 422 King street.

SALE OF A SCHOONER.

Capt. R. F. Knox, auctioneer, sold for Deputy U. S. Marshal Glover at noon today at the dock between King and Prince streets, the schooner Martha Davis, together with her boats, tackle, appurtenances and furniture to Walter Haman for $200 cash.

Badly Mixed Up.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth, blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me; so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, by all druggists, fifty cents.

Money can be saved by buying your Shoes at Marshall's, 422 King street. nov21 tf

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STATEMENT.

Citizens' National Bank of Alexandria, Va.,

DECEMBER 3, 1907.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$569,556.85	Capital	$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds, to secure circulation,	100,000.00	Surplus	50,000.00
Bonds, to secure U. S. Deposit	53,000 00	Undivided Profits	56,252.57
Other Bonds and Stocks	28,111.56	Circulation	98,900.00
Banking House & Real Estate	52,856.97	Deposits	586,818.29
Cash	43,921.72	U. S. Deposit	50,000.00
Due from Banks & Reserve Agents,	94,523.76		
	$941,970.86		$941,970.86

Accounts of Individuals, Firms and Corporations Invited.
Interest Paid in Our Savings Department.

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THE CITY DEBT.

A meeting of the finance committee and the sinking fund commissioners was held in the Council chamber last night to discuss the matter of refunding the city debt which falls due on July 1, 1909. Mayor Paff presided and a number of the city bankers, bondholders and other citizens were present. Members of the committees explained the matter, gave a history of the debt and how it had been and would be curtailed. They stated that the proposed plan of refunding was to offer new bonds at 4 per cent. interest in exchange for the present 3.65 per cent. bond and date them on January 1, 1909. This would give the holders of the new bonds the increased interest six months before the old bonds fall due. The banking officers thought this a good plan provided it could be carried through, but suggested that the new bonds be dated January 1, 1908 as a further inducement for the holders of the city's obligations to make the exchange. The matter will be further considered and the legislature will be asked to pass a measure allowing the city to refund the debt.

AN APPEAL.

The ladies of the Co-operative Charities Association call attention to the fact that the demands made upon them at present are pressing and they find themselves handicapped by reason of the limited resources at their disposal. The severe weather of the past few days has brought distress to many deserving people, who should have immediate assistance, and the ladies upon whom the responsibility of looking after the indigent has been placed feel confident that the good people of this city will not see them hampered by lack of means. Alexandria has much for which to be thankful. While devastating winds and fires have during the late blizzard caused distress and loss of life in some places, nothing occurred in this city during the inclement weather to bring similar distress. The short and simple annals of the poor appeal to the thoughtful at all times, but more especially during biting cold weather. The responsibility for their relief is upon all who have been blessed with a superfluity of the necessities of life.

ARRIVAL OF OFFICERS.

Officer McCaffrey, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, arrived here today and went to the station house where he showed the necessary requisition papers which directed that Lucien and Mary Marino, two of the gypsies arrested at the instance of the authorities of Council Bluffs where they are charged with abduction and grand larceny be turned over to him. The officer will leave here with the prisoners Monday for Council Bluff. The other gypsies arrested last week will probably be allowed to remain here.

Chief Goods has received a letter from Mrs. O. C. Wolverton, of Sheloygan, Wis., enclosing a clipping from a newspaper of 1906 which gave an account of the abduction of a boy named Cecil Britton, of Tollgate, Oregon. The writer asked the chief to see if the description of one of the boys with the gypsies corresponded in any manner to that given of the missing child. The boy held here is not the child sought by Mrs. Wolverton.

MACCABEES.

The ladies of the Maccabees held a very interesting meeting, Tuesday evening, in their hall, at which time the following officers were installed by their installing officer, Mrs. J. H. Mansfield: past commander, Mrs. Amy Weech; commander, Mrs. William Permar; lieutenant commander, Mrs. Quigley; record-keeper, Mrs. Annie Bladen; chaplain, Mrs. Zackery; mistress at arms, Mrs. Mansfield; sergeant, Mrs. Miller; sentinel, Mrs. John Clapdore; and picket, Mrs. George Nowland. After the installation the Active Past Commander, Mrs. Weech, was presented with a very handsome symbol.

BASKETBALL.

The Alexandria Athletic Association basketball team will play the Shamrocks, of Washington, tonight at Schuler's hall. The game will be called at 8:30 sharp. A good game is expected tonight, as there is great rivalry between these two teams. The visitors will be entertained by a dance.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Marshall, of Harrisburg, Pa., who have been visiting Councilman Charles B. Marshall, on King street, have returned to their home.

Mr. J. Fred Birrell, one of the committee clerks in the legislature, is back from Richmond for a few days.

Rev. Wm. J. Morton, of Alexandria, was in the city Thursday.—[Fredericksburg Star.

Mrs. J. C. Milburn, who has been quite ill at her home on Duke street, is recovering and is able to be about the house again.

Rev. E. E. Dudley, of Norfolk, will begin revival services in the First Baptist Church on Monday night.

Rev. C. K. Hibbs, of the Del Ray Baptist Church, will baptize several candidates tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. Fisher, who has been conducting revival services in Baltimore for the last twelve nights, has returned to this city.

HEARING ON TUESDAY.

The legislative committee has set Tuesday next for a hearing of the matter of the proposed incorporation of the villages of Del Ray and St. Elmo, in Alexandria county, into one town, to be known as Potomac. It is said that there is some opposition to the mersure in the county, and that the Chamber of Commerce of this city will also oppose it.

COLD NIGHT.

The weather was cold again last night, although the northwest wind which had prevailed during yesterday had subsided somewhat. Considerable ice formed, and the mercury this morning stood at 18°. The wind was blowing from the south this morning and the temperature was much milder. The mercury at noon stood at 44°.

THE CAMERON CLUB.

The first of a series of four lectures to be given under the auspices of the Cameron Club was delivered last night at Lee Camp Hall by Miss Janet Richards, of Washington. Miss Richards gave a most interesting resume of the events of 1907, of her trip through Finland and of her visit to Moscow and other Russian cities.

THE RAILROAD TRAINS.

Railroad officials in this city state that Mr. D. J. Howell, in his article in yesterday's Gazette, was wrong when he stated that certain trains on the Southern Railroad would stop at the Alexandria station, only for passengers going south of Charlottesville. They say that trains will stop here for passengers both to and from Charlottesville.

THE MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE.

The disappearance of Miss Delilah Watkins, of this city, together with that of Mr. Powell Brookes, also of this city, is still the subject of considerable comment. Their whereabouts are still unknown to their relatives and friends.

ACQUITTED.

Harvey Keys, who had been on trial in the Circuit Court for Fairfax county this week, charged with the murder of Jack McCuen last September, was yesterday evening acquitted by the jury in that court.

Bad Stomach Trouble Cured.

Having been sick for the past two years with a bad stomach trouble, a friend gave me a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They did me so much good that I bought a bottle of them and have used twelve bottles in all. Today I am well of a bad stomach trouble.—Mrs. John Lowe, Cooper, Maine. These tablets are for sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

How to Cure Chilblains.

"To enjoy freedom from chilblains," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed for fever sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites and skin diseases. 25c at all drug stores.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

A number of electric lights in different parts of the city were not burning last night.

A large number of employees at the Washington navy yard have been discharged.

Twelve new passenger locomotives have arrived at the depot of the Southern Railway in this city. Four of the engines will, it is said, be used on the Manassas division.

There was but a corporal's guard of country people in market this morning and the offerings of produce were scant. Eggs were selling at 30 cents a dozen, an advance over last Saturday's prices. Other articles were unchanged.

Some broken sizes in Hess shoes $5 and $6 grades, $2.50 get them, if you are quick. Marshall, 422 King street.

B. P. O. ELKS—Meeting Monday, January 27th, 7.30 p. m. By order E. R.
EDW. J. FLEMING, Secretary.
jan25 2t

LOST.

LOST.—Between this city and Mount Vernon today, a DAY BOOK, containing, among other things, $23.60. The finder will please return it to this office, or to A. J. Payne, at Woodlawn. A reward of $5.00 will be paid to the finder. jan25 2t

LOST.—In a store or on King street, on Thursday, a TWENTY and ONE-DOLLAR BILL. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the money at this office. jan24 3t*

LOST.—January 23, on 2 o'clock train from Washington to Mt. Vernon, a set of TEETH and a small some of money. Reward if returned to 1016 King street. jan24 3t*

LOST.—Tuesday morning, January 21, at or near Lloyds station, a package containing two ladies' WAISTS. Suitable reward will be paid for its return to GIBSON'S DRUG STORE. jan33 3t

WANTED.

SALESMAN WANTED—Sell retail trade your locality; $65 per month and expenses to start, or commission. Experience unnecessary. HERMINGSEN CIGAR CO., 1t Toledo, Ohio.

AGENTS—Name plates, signs, numbers; readable darkest nights. Easily sold; profits large; samples free. WRIGHT SUPPLY CO., 1t Englewood, Ills.

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I will sell at public auction (if not sold privately before that date) on the premises, No. 207 south Payne street, at noon on SATURDAY, February 1st, next, EIGHT FINE COWS. The cows can be seen on the premises. R. H. COX,
Curator of the estate of the late James Houlson
jan25 1w

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Decorated Teas and Plates... 10c each.

Paints.....10c can and up.

Brushes.....5c and 10c each.

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Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 25, 1908.

His Concession.

Miss Sallie Miller, the acknowledged belle of the town, had fewer beaus than were her due. This was owing to her father's peculiar aversion to all young men who called on his daughter. He had a disconcerting way of taking possession of the porch and snubbing her callers while they were waiting for her to come down.

One evening Newton Brown, a bashful young swain, came a trifle too early for Miss Sallie. Mr. Miller and Newton's father were close friends, but the boy had grown so rapidly that the old gentleman did not recognize little Newt Brown in this tall, gawky youth. "It looks as if it might rain," the young fellow ventured timidly.

"'Tain't a-goin' to rain," was the gruff response.

For about a quarter of an hour they sat in silence. Finally the old man's curiosity got the better of him.

"Who are you, anyway?" he growled.

"Newton Brown, sir."

"What! Not old Jake Brown's son?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, well," said Mr. Miller more kindly; "it may rain; it may rain."—Everybody's Magazine.

A Lesson In Honesty.

There is a restaurant in Broad street in which nearly a thousand persons eat during the noon hour. Each person eats what he pleases and when he goes to the cashier's desk announces the amount of his indebtedness. The proprietors figure that to trust to the honesty of their patrons is a saving of precious Wall street minutes and, besides, is good business. Once in awhile keen eyed employees capture a cheat. One of these, a youth, was "caught with the goods on" a few days ago and taken to the office of the proprietors. Given the choice of being arrested or going into the kitchen and washing dishes, the young man nearly collapsed of shame and fright. He begged not to be arrested and reluctantly agreed to wash dishes. For an hour or so the culprit struggled with a pile of dishes in a tub of steaming water. Then he was told he might depart. Now he brings his lunch from home.—New York Press.

What English Means.

Mrs. Smi[illegible]—What are you reading, John? Mr. Smith—I [illegible]" bert Spencer's "Principles of [illegible]" Mrs. Smith—Why—what—what's that, John? Mr. Smith—Herbert Spencer's "Biology." Let me read you an extract—his definition of life. Listen: "It consists of the definite combinations of heterogeneous changes, but simultaneous and successive, in combination with external coexistences and sequences."

"Why, John, what in the world is the man talking about?"

"I am astonished at you, Jane. Why, this is the work of the great English scientist."

"Yes, I know, but what is he writing about?"

"He is defining life, I told you. What did you suppose he was writing about?"

"Good gracious! I thought he was trying to get a patent on a clothes-horse."—London Tit-Bits.

When Religion Called.

In his book "Work In Great Cities" the bishop of London writes: "You have often not only to learn, but to practice, what may be described as the foot and door trick. It is ruination to the boot and sometimes hurts the toe, but it consists in rapidly, but quickly, passing the foot in the moment the door is opened in order to secure, at any rate, a few minutes' parley." As to what may happen he writes: "After long hesitation it will be opened by a little girl about half a foot, and then you will hear a distant voice from the wash tub in the rear, 'Well, Sally, who is it?' Then Sally will answer at the top of her voice, 'Please, mother, it's religion.' You will require all your presence of mind to cope with that."

The time came, however, when every door was thrown wide open to welcome "our bishop."—London Christian Globe.

Why the Sun Sets.

Little Jack asked his mother one night why the sun set so often. She told him that it might rise in the morning. This seemed a useless reason, and Jack hunted for another. At last he said:

"Oh, I know, mother. The sun sets so that she can hatch all the days."—Washington Star.

Came With a Shock.

Harold (after the fateful question had been put and answered)—Did I surprise you, dear? Maud—Surprise me? You paralyzed me! I gave up the idea two years ago of your ever having spunk enough to propose.—Chicago Tribune.

No Deceit.

Mother—Jack, when I gave you and Ella each an orange, you both promised not to eat them until after dinner. Is it possible you have deceived me? Little Jack—No, ma'am. I ate Ella's and she ate mine.—Chicago News.

Women In Japan.

A Japanese saying runs: "Woman is an unmanageable creature; flatter her, she is elated; thrash her, she weepeth; kill her, her spirit haunts you."

We would suggest that the best remedy is to love her.—Japan Times.

Carlyle's Creed.

Man is born to expend every particle of strength that God Almighty has given him in doing the work he finds he is fit for, to stand it out to the best breath of life and do his best. —Thomas Carlyle.

Why Suffer from Rheumatism.

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MAYORS SAY "FAILS"

Chief Executives Write of Their Experiences.

They Do Not Consider Public Ownership Successful In Their Cities—Two Plants For Sale—One Lasted Only Six Months.

One would expect a mayor to be the last man in a city to say that municipal ownership could not succeed, yet two mayors in next to the most populous state and one in the largest state in the Union have emphatically expressed their views in letters.

Guy A. Bryant, mayor of Princeton, Ill., tells about the experience of his city, as follows:

"Our city has advertised for bids for its electric light plant. Our plant was an old one when it was taken over by the city, and considerable money had to be spent to get it into fair running shape. This was eight years ago. Since then we have not been able to make it a paying investment, as we found the cost of running the plant has exceeded what the cost of lighting our city would be if the light was purchased from a private plant, and it has been deemed advisable to sell it if a satisfactory bid can be had. This is our main reason for disposing of it.

"Municipal ownership of a lighting plant, in my opinion, cannot be made a success in cities of this size."

The mayor of Marengo, Ill., J. H. Patterson, is more brief in summing up the case of that city, but nobody is left in doubt as to where he stands on the question of public ownership. When he wrote Marengo had not yet succeeded in making suitable arrangements for a lease. The tone of the mayor's letter, however, does not indicate that there is any reluctance on the part of the city to get rid of its expensive luxury. The only question seems to be one of terms. Mayor Patterson says:

"We are contemplating a deal whereby the management of said plant will go out of our city's control. Our reason for doing this is that we consider municipal management a complete failure, and the less there is of it the better for all parties concerned."

When C. C. Weaver was mayor of Itasca, Tex., he expressed his opinion of a city trying to work and gave the brief but trying experience of his own city as an example. In a letter on the subject he said:

"Our city bored an artesian well and [illegible] in securing a flow of water was fortunate [illegible] and in a quantity about 200 gallons per minute. In connection with this it was decided to build an electric plant. I investigated the cost and probable income of an electric plant and found it a doubtful proposition and recommended that we avoid it, but the aldermen believed it would pay in connection with the waterworks, and the work was begun.

"The pump was installed first and was operated about one month before the electric plant was ready; hence we know how much it cost to operate the pump. When the electric machinery was put in operation our losses began. We operated it a little more than four months and found that it was taking all our income from both the waterworks and electric plant to pay running expenses of the plant. We did not want to shut down, as we knew it would be a dead loss, but we were forced to do something; hence we hit upon the idea of selling the electric part of the plant. It was turned over to me to sell without any reservations as to what I should get. I sold the electric part, but not any part of the waterworks. We lost money in trying to operate the plant and did not get all our money back in the sale. We operated the plant three days less than six months and lost about $100 per month.

"If you stop to think about it, a city cannot work, but must hire all her help. The hired man does not have the coal bill to pay, nor does he care whether houses are wired or not. He is not much interested in the receipts and does not hustle business; hence the expenses run up while the receipts are neglected. Public money does not hold out like private money. I know it ought to, but I am now serving in my eleventh year as mayor, and I know whereof I speak.

"When we come to figure these things, it is not safe to figure on what ought to be done, but we should face facts and recognize the facts as they really are and not as they should be, but are not.

"An electric plant has to have close personal attention, and the man who superintends it ought to have a very serious interest in the expense account and in the receipts, and this interest should be such as would affect his own pocket.

"You ask if I would advise middle size cities to build electric plants. Now, in answer to this particular question I must say I would not."

Will Be Sworn to if Necessary.

A story that would be regarded as too good to be true if it were not part of the official records of the city comes from Cincinnati. The present street commissioner of that city is a victim of the delusion that it is his business to keep the streets clean, but his efforts are not appreciated by one of the grocers, who sent in a protest to the effect that the streets were so much more noisy after the mud had been removed that he regarded it as detrimental to his business to have the streets kept so clean.

The further a city goes into business the less wisdom it displays.—Jackson (Mich.) Patriot.

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CATHERINE B. WILKINS,
jan22 10t* Executrix.

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Be it resolved: That in the judgment of the board it is deemed advisable and for the benefit of this company that its affairs should be wound up and the corporation dissolved.

Resolved: That a meeting of the stockholders of the Company be called to be held on MONDAY, the 10th day of February, 1908, at the hour of 1:30 p. m. at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, to take action upon the resolution of the board.

Resolved further: That within ten days after the adoption of this resolution that notice be published in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, wherein the principal office of the Company is located, at least once a week for four successive weeks next preceding the time appointed for the same, of a meeting of the stockholders to be held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, to take action upon the resolution of the Board of Directors. The said notice shall contain a copy of these resolutions, and a copy of these resolutions shall be mailed to each stockholder in person.

Attest: H. WHITE,
jan13 wtf Secretary.

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